

# **EXHIBIT A**

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

IN RE: DIISOCYANATES ANTITRUST  
LITIGATION

This Document Relates to:  
ALL ACTIONS

Master Docket Misc. No. 18-1001

MDL No. 2862

**AFFIDAVIT OF RACHEL J. LAMORTE IN SUPPORT OF  
MOTION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE***

I, Rachel J. Lamorte, hereby submit this affidavit in support of the motion for admission to appear and practice in this Court in the above-captioned matter as counsel *pro hac vice* for Defendant BASF Corporation. Being duly sworn, I hereby depose and say as follows:

1. I am an attorney with the law firm of Mayer Brown LLP. My business address is 1999 K Street, NW, Washington, DC 20006.
2. I am a member in good standing of the bar of the State of Massachusetts. My bar identification number is: 692411.
3. I am a member in good standing of the bar of the State of New York. My bar identification number is: 5380019.
4. I am a member in good standing of the bar of the District of Columbia. My bar identification number is: 1743057.
5. A current certificate of good standing from the bar of the District of Columbia is attached hereto.
6. I have never been a party to a disciplinary proceeding concerning my practice of law that resulted in a non-confidential negative finding or sanction by the disciplinary authority of the bar of any state or any United States court.
7. I attest that I am a registered user of ECF in the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania.
8. I attest that I have read, know, and understand the Local Rules of Court for the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania.
9. Based on the foregoing, I respectfully request that I be granted *pro hac vice* admission to represent BASF Corporation in this matter.

I certify and attest that the foregoing statements made by me in this affidavit are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are false, I am subject to punishment.

Dated: April 1, 2022

/s/ Rachel J. Lamorte

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On behalf of JULIO A. CASTILLO, Clerk of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals,  
the District of Columbia Bar does hereby certify that

*Rachel Jennifer Lamorte*

was duly qualified and admitted on December 17, 2021 as an attorney and counselor entitled to  
practice before this Court; and is, on the date indicated below, a(n)  
ACTIVE member in good standing of this Bar.

In Testimony Whereof,  
I have hereunto subscribed my  
name and affixed the seal of this  
Court at the City of  
Washington, D.C., on February  
1, 2022.

*Julio A. Castillo*

**JULIO A. CASTILLO**  
Clerk of the Court

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